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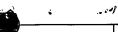
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TH	E PERI	RIOD FOR RESPONSE: [check only a) or b)]		
	a) expires months from the mailing date of the final rejection.			
	ь) <u>Х</u>	expires either three months from the mailing date of the final rejection, or on the mailing date of this Advisory is later. In no event, however, will the statutory period for the response expire later than six months from the rejection.	Action, whichever date of the final	
	date on	extension of time must be obtained by filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.136(a), the proposed response and the appropriate fee. The eon which the response, the petition, and the fee have been filed is the date of the response and also the date for the purposes of ermining the period of extension and the corresponding amount of the fee. Any extension fee pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17 will be culated from the date of the originally set shortened statutory period for response or as set forth in b) above.		
	Appell period	ellant's Brief is due two months from the date of the Notice of Appeal filed on door response set forth above, whichever is later). See 37 CFR 1.191(d) and 37 CFR 1.192(a).	_ (or within any	
Applicant's response to the final rejection, filed on <u>Nov 27, 1998</u> has been considered with the following effect, but is NOT deemed to place the application in condition for allowance:				
X	The proposed amendment(s):			
	will be entered upon filing of a Notice of Appeal and an Appeal Brief.			
	X will not be entered because:			
	they raise new issues that would require further consideration and/or search. (See note below).			
	they raise the issue of new matter. (See note below).			
	they are not deemed to place the application in better form for appeal by materially reducing or simplifying the issues for appeal.			
		they present additional claims without cancelling a corresponding number of finally rejected cla	ims.	
	NOTE: <u>the amended claims add limitations which have not been previously considered, such as, the "at least three separate stores," and each store having separate outside entrances leading directly from the parking facility</u>			
Applicant's response has overcome the following rejection(s):				
		rly proposed or amended claims would be allowable if arate, timely filed amendment cancelling the non-allowable claims.	submitted in a	
		affidavit, exhibit or request for reconsideration has been considered but does NOT place the appl illowance because:	ication in condition	
		affidavit or exhibit will NOT be considered because it is not directed SOLELY to issues which we Examiner in the final rejection.	re newly raised by	
X	For pu	ses of Appeal, the status of the claims is as follows (see attached written explanation, if any):		
	Claim	ns allowed:		
		ns objected to:		
	Claim	ns rejected: <u>1-4, 6-16, and 18-36</u>		
		proposed drawing correction filed on has has not been approved b	y the Examiner.	
	Note	the attached Information Disclosure Statement(s), PTO-1449, Paper No(s).		
	Other	Supervisor	D. Friedman y Patent Examiner	
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